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In re Application of

Frank W.Perrella

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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(3), filed May 26, 2005¹, to withdraw the above-identified application from issue after payment of the issue fee.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

Petitioners request that the application be withdrawn from issue for express abandonment. See 37 CFR 1.313(c)(3).

The above-identified application is expressly abandoned, and the abandonment is hereby recognized.

Telephone inquiries should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3204.

The abandoned matter is being referred to Files Repository.

Sherry D. Brinkley **Petitions Examiner**

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A second Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due was mailed on May 26, 2005. For the purpose of processing, the petition will be treated as having been filed prior to the mailing of the second Notice of Allowance.